

REMARKS

Further to the restriction requirement selection of Group I without traverse, applicant further selects, in response to the species election requirement, Staphylococcus as the species, and Staphylococcus Aureus as the subspecies, with traverse.

While there may be many types of bacteria, that does not mean there is a substantial search burden, and in any event, this is the national phase of a PCT application and the applicable standard, unity of invention, does not permit division based on a search burden. Withdrawal of the species requirement is respectfully requested.

The early further consideration and allowance of this application is respectfully solicited.

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